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I am a nuclear engineer and I follow nuclear policies closely. The federal government has been studying deep geologic disposal and Yucca Mountain for twenty years and the National Academy of Sciences has determined deep geologic disposal to be the best solution to managing used commercial fuel and high level waste. The transportation record for nuclear materials is sound and proves that these materials can be shipped safely. Decades ago, the federal government committed to solve this issue and has an obligation not to pass the buck to the next generation. The science is 'in' and stakeholders have had opportunities to comment. As with any policy, not everyone will agree with the decision. However, Yucca Mountain is the safe, technologically-sound solution. It's time for the Secretary to recommend Yucca Mountain to the President and move forward on building the repository.

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